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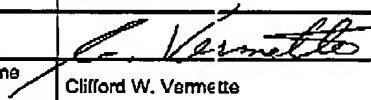
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20 RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

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25 In response to the Office Actions of June 24, 2005 and
September 6, 2005, Applicant makes the following
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A listing of the claims readable on the elected
Species begins on page 2 of this Response.

30 Applicant's remarks begin on page 12 of this Response.